

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Peter Wilhelm KOENIG and Martin HINZMANN

Appln. No.:

Filed: March 18, 2002

For: SUPPLY METER FOR LIQUID OR GASEOUS MEDIUMS

Attorney Docket No.: 3960.010

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Attn: Box PCT  
Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application,  
please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS (CLEAN VERSION):

Please delete original PCT Claims 1-12, delete Substitute  
Claims 1-12 and add the following new Claims 13-24:

- Sub  
a1 CP*
13. Supply meter for liquid or gaseous medium or electric  
current, with a display device for displaying the amount of  
the medium which has passed through the supply meter, which  
displays with a cumulative meter reading the entire amount  
consumed to date and makes possible the production of a  
verification code, thereby characterized, that the  
verification code display device (3) is mechanically linked  
with the drive means (1) for the consumed-amount display-  
device (4), and that the translation relationship between